

the Provisional Government to get the article inserted. However, it did not appear, and in a few days we obtained a solution of the enigma, as we might perhaps have done before if we had tried. The Emperor Alexander also promised to write to the Comte d'Artois, and to inform him that the opinion of France was in favor of the preservation of the three colors, but I do not know whether the letter was written, or, if it was, what answer it received.

Marshal Jourdan, who was then at Kourn, received 21 letter, written without the knowledge of Manumit, itfbniiiiig him that the latter had mounted the white cockade in IIIH corps. Jourdan thought he could not do otherwise than follow Marmont's example, and he announced to the Provisional Government that in consequence of the resolution of the I>uk«* of liagusa he had just ordered his troops to wear the wliiti* eoekadt*. Marmont could now lie lightly fzw^'d, and when he complained to the Provisional (lovi'rnmeiit nf the non-insertion of tin* article in the Afanitwtr tin* n*ply was, ** It cannot now be appt^tr. You set Marshal Jourdan h>in itMttutii'ii thi^ white cockade: you would not give the two «i't*i of e-olors!"

Marmont could make, no answer to the {KtativM a fact. It was not till some time after that I learned that the white flag only determined to unfurl the white flag only on tin* assurance that Marmont had already done so. Thus lost the colors which, had been worn by Louis XVI., Louis XVIII., when a Prince, had adopted, and lost which tin* Comte d'Artois showed himself on his return to Paris. Partly, for he entered the capital in the uniform of tin* National Guard. The fraud played off by some members of tin* Provisional Government was attended by fatal consequences; many evils might have been avoided to France; but the Minister of advice refused to adopt.

At the period of the Revolution of 1793 the three might be three

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